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Project No. 20143787

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J.H. CAMPBELL - POND A CCR CLOSURE

Dear Mr. Runkel,

Golder Associates Inc, (Golder) has prepared this letter as notification that the Consumers Energy Company (CEC) J.H. Campbell Generating Facility (JHC) Pond A Coal Combustion Residuals Unit (CCR Unit) has been closed in placed and is no longer subject to Title 40 of the code of Federal Regulations Section 257.83 (40 CFR Part 257.83).

In April 2015, the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) issued the Coal Combustion Residual (CCR) Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Rule (40 CFR 257 Subpart D) ("CCR RCRA Rule"). The CCR RCRA Rule requires owners or operators of existing CCR surface impoundments to have those units inspected on an annual basis by a qualified professional engineer (QPE) in accordance with 40 CFR 257.83.

CEC provided notice of the intent to initiate closure of the Pond A CCR Unit on September 17, 2018. CCR was placed to design grade and the pond was closed with an engineered cap system and documented in the report titled "J.H. Campbell Generating Facility, Pond A – Construction Documentation Report" prepared by Golder, dated October 1, 2019. The closure was performed in general accordance with JHC's approved closure plan titled "J.H. Campbell Generating Facility, Pond A Closure Plan" dated March 25, 2019. Pond A is no longer a CCR surface impoundment and therefore no longer subject to an annual inspection per 40 CFR Part 257.83.

Sincerely,

Golder Associates Inc.



Halle Doering, E.I.T.
Project Engineer



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Principal

[https://golderassociates.sharepoint.com/sites/127083/project files/6 deliverables/pond closure letters/finals/jhc_pond a closure letter - final.docx](https://golderassociates.sharepoint.com/sites/127083/project%20files/6%20deliverables/pond%20closure%20letters/finals/jhc_pond_a_closure_letter_-_final.docx)